

18 January 1963

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: HEW Material from Beirut

1. A few days ago Kain proposed an Airgram to Beirut drafted by Frances Roberds explaining to the embassy that the new information received for 28B(43) arrived too late for incorporation into the manuscript which was at the printer.

25X1A9a [redacted] confirmed this. The proof was expected within a few weeks. I checked with Kain and [redacted] 25X1A9a [redacted] said he had told Kain that minor changes could be entered into the proof. Kain said that organizing the material for incorporation in the proof would take Miss Roberds a week and would postpone the delivery date for 28A(43) which he was trying to complete by the end of June.

2. Use of the new information would mean resetting a substantial part of the subsection on Public Information. We decided to not use the material. I told [redacted] I was 25X1A9a sending to him Kain's Airgram and that the Embassy would need to be told the material was not used; otherwise they would expect to see it in the completed manuscript, but that he, 25X1A9a [redacted], should determine how to politely tell the Embassy they had been too slow.

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